HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 433

By Capley

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Gracie Felty, 2023 Salutatorian of Mt. Pleasant High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Gracie Felty is one such exceptional student, who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2023 graduating class at Mt. Pleasant High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Felty has achieved outstanding academic success and joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Gracie Felty has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including varsity cheerleading, football cheerleading, varsity basketball, track, National Beta Club, and pep club; and

WHEREAS, a recognized leader among her peers, she served as president of the student body, vice president of the FFA, and president of Best Buddies; and

WHEREAS, an active part of her community, she has shared her time and talents as a volunteer with Wet and Wild Day, the mother and son dance, the Santa trolley, a local 5K run, and a local horse show; and

WHEREAS, Gracie Felty's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success at the University of Tennessee at Martin; and

WHEREAS, her noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Kory Felty and Dane Luke, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Felty's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of the members of this General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2023 Mt. Pleasant High School Salutatorian, Gracie Felty, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.

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